APPENDIX 'A'

MAGI METHODOLOGY – Groups of Individuals Subject to Modified Adjusted Gross Income (MAGI)

Group	Current methodology	New methodology under MAGI
Parents/caretaker relatives:  • TANF/family medical  • Medical extensions (Congress may allow TMA to sunset in 2013)  Existing mandatory low-income families under Section 1931 of the SSA (TANF/Family medical)  New rule: 42 CFR 435.110	<ul> <li>Allowed 50%         earned income         disregard, child         support paid and         daycare expenses         up to set limits.</li> <li>Medical extension         based upon         increase in earned         income. No         income test</li> </ul>	Determine h/h composition. Exclude income under federal exclusion. Exclude child support and certain other income types. Count all remaining income. Allow 5/% disregard. Net income compared to a MAGI standard of approx 76% FPL.
Parents/caretaker relatives:  • New optional group  1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(XX) of the SSA  New rule: 42 CFR 435.218	Not applicable	Certain differences in eligibility i.e. Medicare eligible clients are not excluded. Income over 133% FPL and no maximum defined in Statute.
Pregnant women:  Consolidates mandatory and optional coverage groups:  • 1931 low income women in 3 <sup>rd</sup> trimester  • 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) Qualified Pregnant Women  • 1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) Mandatory poverty level pregnant women  • 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(X) Poverty level pregnant women  • 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(I) AFDC criteria pregnant women  • 1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) Institutionalized pregnant women  New rule: 42 CFR 435.116	<ul> <li>50% earned income disregard under TANF/Family medical</li> <li>\$90 earned income disregard. Deduction for child support paid out and dependent care expenses.</li> </ul>	MAGI methodology same as above.  Net income is compared to a MAGI based equivalent standard based on CMS approved conversion of 185% FPL standard
Children:  Consolidates 7 mandatory and optional coverage groups  • 1931 low-income children in TANF/Family medical h/h	<ul> <li>Family medical methodology described above, or</li> <li>Disregard \$90 of earned income per</li> </ul>	MAGI methodology same as above.  Net income is compared to a MAGI based equivalent standard based on CMS approved conversion of

<ul> <li>1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VI) mandatory poverty level children age 1-5</li> <li>1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(III) Qualified Children</li> <li>1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(IV) mandatory poverty-level infants</li> <li>1902(a)(10)(A)(i)(VII) Mandatory poverty-level children age 6-18</li> <li>1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IV) Optional institutionalized children</li> <li>1902(a)(10)(A)(ii)(IX) Optional poverty level infants</li> <li>Other child coverage groups still exist:</li> <li>CHIP eligible children 200-300% FPL</li> <li>Disabled children (not on SSI)</li> <li>Newborns born to medicaid eligible women</li> <li>SSI recipient children</li> <li>New rule: 42 CFR 435.118</li> </ul>	working parent. Child support paid out and dependent care expenses with no limit.  No income calculation for newborns	200%/300% FPL standard.
New adult group:     Single or married adults currently on ABD cash or MCS medical under the Transitional Bridge waiver     Parents/Caretaker relatives with income over current TANF standard converted to MAGI equivalent     Some current MN spenddown clients     New applicants not known to the system  1902(a) (10)(A)(i)(VIII) of the SSA	Current     ABD/MCS     medical allows     a 50% earned     income     disregard	Same as for parents. Compare net countable income to MAGI standard of 133% FPL.

New rule: 42 CFR 435.119